

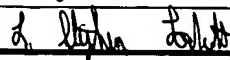
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4179-128

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Title

EXTRUSION LAMINATE POLYMERIC FILM
ARTICLE AND GASTRIC OCCLUSIVE DEVICE
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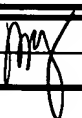
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
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